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Captain. Medical Corps. U.S. Navy (Retired).

U.S. Naval Aerospace Medicine Specialist with 24 years active service in Preventive (Aerospace and Occupational) Medicine and Psychiatry associated with Naval Aviation.

- 1983-88 Force Medical Officer (on the staff of) Commander, Naval Air Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet. (Providing professional and technical supervision for approximately 10 aircraft carriers, 1 Station Hospital, 100,000 Naval personnel, and over 20 major Naval Bases concerning provision of clinical medical care, aviation safety, occupational and preventive medicine, industrial hygiene, and environmental toxicology.)
- 1981-83 For the Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery:
Special Assistant for Operational Medical Support.
Director, Aerospace Medicine Division.
For the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air Warfare):
Aerospace Medical Coordinator.
For the Surgeon General of the Navy:
Head, Operational Medicine Branch.
- 1980-81 Student (Class President)
Industrial College of the Armed Forces
National Defense University
- 1979-80 Head, Psychiatry Branch, Naval Aerospace Medical Institute (NAMI).
- 1977-79 Chief, Department of Psychiatry, Naval Regional Medical Center, Great Lakes.
- 1972-74 Senior Medical Officer, USS Kitty Hawk (CVA 63).
- 1967-69 (Senior) Air Wing Flight Surgeon, Carrier Air Wing 14 (CAG 14).
- 1964-67 Research Assistant and Division Officer, School of Aviation Medicine.

Professional Credentials

Board Certified in Preventive (Aerospace) Medicine, 1972.
Board Certified in Psychiatry, 1979.
Fellow, American College of Preventive Medicine.
Fellow, Aerospace Medical Association.
Member, ACPM, ACOEM, MOEMA, ACPE, AsMA, MSMS, KCMS, APA, AMA.
Medical Licenses: Michigan (inactive) and California (retired).

Education

A.B. (magna cum laude)(Phi Beta Kappa) Amherst College, 1958.
M.D. Harvard Medical School, 1962.
M. P.H. (Occupational Medicine) University of Michigan, School of Public Health, 1970.
Diploma, Industrial College of the Armed Forces, National Defense University 1981.
Residency in General Surgery, University of Michigan Hospital, 1962-64.
Residency in Preventive (Aerospace) Medicine, NAMI, 1970-72.
Residency in Psychiatry, Naval Regional Medical Center and University of California, San Francisco, 1974-77.
One to two seminars per year, National Defense University, 1981 - present.
Annual conferences, National Council of World Affairs Organizations, 1993 - 1996.
Annual Aeromedical Problems Courses, NAOMI, 1986 (1st)- 1998 (last).

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Community Service.

Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan; Advisory Council member, 1997 - present;
Legislative Committee, Chair, 1999 - present; Michigan Senior Advocates Council,
2001-present, Chair 2007 & 8; Senior Millage Renewal Committee, Treasurer,
Steering Committee, 2006; National Legislative conferee, 2002- present.
Congressional Medal of Merit, 2008.
Michigan State 2004 Senior Citizen of the year for Leadership.
Michigan 2006 Claude Pepper Senior Advocate Award.
Michigan 2005 Governor's Conference, Health Forum Committee.
Military Officers Association of America (MOAA, formerly TROA) Board of Directors and
Health Care Committee, 2003- 2006; *life member*. Michigan Council of Chapters, Inc.,
The Retired Officers Association; President, 1998 - 2000; Vice President , 2000-03;
Member, 1994 - present.
Army and Navy Club of Grand Rapids, Inc., an affiliate of Military Officers Association of
America; President (accomplished the affiliation with TROA), 1993 -1998; Board of
Directors, 1992 - present; Legislative liaison, 1993-present.
Alliance for Health, Board of Trustees, 1999 - 2008. Physician's Advisory Group, Chair '99
- '05; mbr, '95 - present. First Friday Forum Committee, member, 1998 - present.
Health Care Vision 2020 work groups, 2007-present.
Kent County Medical Society member, Legislative committee member, 2000-present.
Public Health Advisory Comm. 2005.
Rotary Club of Grand Rapids, member, 1994-present; Paul Harris Fellow X 3.
World Community Service Committee, Chair, 1999 -2002; mbr, 1999-present:
Site evaluator for sizable Rotary Foundation Health, Housing, and Humanity Grant, '00.
Breakfast Club of GR member, '96-present; Steering committee member, '99 - present.
Scenic Heritage Route Implementation Committee, 2000- present.
Emmet County Lakeshore Association, Board member, 1992 - present.

Grand Rapids Mayor's Drug Task Force, Chairperson, 1997 - 1999.
West MI Long Term Care Connection, Board member 2007-2008.
Women's City Club of Grand Rapids, (First male) Board member, 1998 - 2000;
Long Range Planning Committee, Chair, '98-'00; Finance Committee, mbr., '98 - '06.
Healthy Kent 2010, Substance Abuse Implementation Team member, 1999-2003.
Gerontology Network Services (GNS) of Kent County, Inc., Board of Trustees, '96 - 2000
GNS Behavioral Health Services, Inc., Board of Trustees, Chair, 1999 - 2000.
Kent Community Hosp. Pension Board (Disbanded 02), Vice Chair, '00-'02, mbr., '98-02.
Lower Shore Drive Property Owners' Association, Founder, Treasurer & Trustee, '92-'03.
Five Mile Creek Community Association Inc., Incorporator, Trustee, 1994 - 2006.
National Council of World Affairs Organizations, DC, Board of Directors, 1995 - 1997.
NCWAO Delegate; International Study Tours to: Vietnam, China, NATO, & Japan,
1993-96.
World Affairs Council of Western Michigan, Board of Directors, 1991-1997, past Great
Decisions Committee Chair, Travel Program Chair, NCWAO Liaison; past
Treasurer, past Executive Committee, and past Program Committee Chair.
City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, Board of Review, Chair, 1992 - 1998.
Michigan One Room Schoolhouse Association, Founder, Treasurer, 1993 - 1999, *life mbr*.
Grand Rapids Historical Society, Board of Directors, member 1996 - 1998, *life mbr*.
Society of U.S. Naval Flight Surgeons, Life Member, Past President who established

SUSNFS as a constituent organization of AsMA.
Great Lakes Shipwreck Historical Society, Board of Directors, 4 years

May 26, 2009

The Honorable
Michigan State Senate

Dear Senator :

The members of the **Advisory Council** of the Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan (AAAWM) which represents over 140,000 older adults in nine counties and the City of Grand Rapids **are requesting your NO vote on SB 250, FY 2009-10 MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS BUDGET.** Many of the people we represent are also military veterans, a group that emphatically deserves the best care and consideration we can offer. We are specifically objecting to **Section 707**, which, beginning in the second half of 2009, eviscerates the ability of the local Veterans Service Organizations (VSO's) to provide enhanced outreach and service to veterans by diverting funding to the Directorate of Veterans' Affairs.

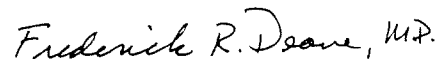
Currently, the Service Officers of the VSO's are local veterans serving veterans, who represent their clients from their initial claims through to resolution. The establishment of a centralized service and another layer of bureaucracy surely cannot match the efficiency and personal service of local VSO's. Section 707 of SB 250, however, requires funding for the second half of 2009 to be used for contracting to individuals for counseling and the coordination of services within the Veterans Directorate Office, stripping away local services and nullifying the relationship of the State of Michigan with the VSO's dating to 1922.

Additionally, proposed funding cuts to veterans' programs of \$1 million are a **full 25% reduction**, forcing layoffs and further crippling services to veterans. The cuts, coupled with the dismantling of the VSO system, are too much of a burden to ask our veterans to bear. **We urge a resounding NO vote on SB 250!**

Sincerely,



Robert A. Sundholm, Chairperson
Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council



F. Rob Deane, M.D., Chairperson
Legislative Committee
Area Agency on Aging

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Each and every member of Army Navy needs to get on the horn to their State Senator and also alert any other Veteran to do the same . We need to flood Lansing with phone calls or e-mails on Senate Bill 250 . This bill would permit the Dept.of Military and Veterans Affairs to create an office of Veterans Affairs using 50% of the Veterans Service Officers budget for the second half of FY 2009-2010 that is currently given to the 11 VSO's . It would permit them to hire individuals to do veteran counseling and allow them to work with counties to provide at least one trained Service Officer to write claims . This is a move to eliminate the VSO's and close their offices . This is a power grab to create positions for people that could be out of a job in the next few years . Consider their track record with the Vets.Home. Call or E-Mail now. Vote NO on 250.

Ken Scott

A/N Rep. on United Veterans Council of Kent County

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